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UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND  
DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

July 14, 2005

STAAS & HALSEY LLP  
SUITE 700  
1201 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W.  
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US

Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 09386847 in the amount of \$430.00 has been denied .

Your check was short \$6.00 because of the claims. The total for the claims was \$264.00 not \$258.00

Sincerely,

ELEANOR KURTZ  
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